

NATIONAL REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES
INVENTORY - NOMINATION FORM

(Type all entries - complete applicable sections)

STATE: Utah	
COUNTY: Weber	
FOR NPS USE ONLY	
ENTRY NUMBER 71.2.49.0003	DATE 2/24/71

1. NAME			
COMMON: (Miles) Goodyear Cabin			
AND/OR HISTORIC:			
2. LOCATION			
STREET AND NUMBER: Tabernacle Square			
CITY OR TOWN: Ogden			
STATE: Utah	CODE: 49	COUNTY: Weber	CODE: 057

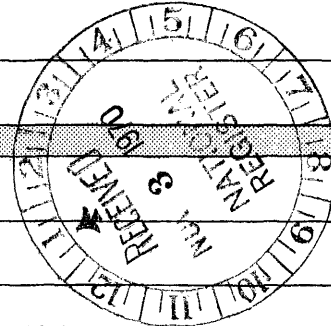
3. CLASSIFICATION				
CATEGORY (Check One)		OWNERSHIP	STATUS	ACCESSIBLE TO THE PUBLIC
District <input type="checkbox"/>	Building <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Public <input type="checkbox"/>	Occupied <input type="checkbox"/>	Yes:
Site <input type="checkbox"/>	Structure <input type="checkbox"/>	Private <input type="checkbox"/>	Unoccupied <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Restricted <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Object <input type="checkbox"/>		Both <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Preservation work in progress <input type="checkbox"/>	Unrestricted <input type="checkbox"/>
PRESENT USE (Check One or More as Appropriate)				
Agricultural <input type="checkbox"/>	Government <input type="checkbox"/>	Park <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Transportation <input type="checkbox"/>	Comments <input type="checkbox"/>
Commercial <input type="checkbox"/>	Industrial <input type="checkbox"/>	Private Residence <input type="checkbox"/>	Other (Specify) <input type="checkbox"/>	
Educational <input type="checkbox"/>	Military <input type="checkbox"/>	Religious <input type="checkbox"/>		
Entertainment <input type="checkbox"/>	Museum <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Scientific <input type="checkbox"/>		

4. OWNER OF PROPERTY			
OWNERS NAME: Daughters of Utah Pioneers			
STREET AND NUMBER: 300 North Main Street			
CITY OR TOWN: Salt Lake City	STATE: Utah	CODE: 49	

5. LOCATION OF LEGAL DESCRIPTION			
COURTHOUSE, REGISTRY OF DEEDS, ETC.: Daughters of Utah Pioneers			
STREET AND NUMBER: 300 North Main Street			
CITY OR TOWN: Salt Lake City	STATE: Utah	CODE: 49	
APPROXIMATE ACREAGE OF NOMINATED PROPERTY: 0.03			

6. REPRESENTATION IN EXISTING SURVEYS			
TITLE OF SURVEY: Utah Historic American Buildings Survey			
DATE OF SURVEY: 1968 Federal <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> State <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> County <input type="checkbox"/> Local <input type="checkbox"/>			
DEPOSITORY FOR SURVEY RECORDS: Utah Heritage Foundation			
STREET AND NUMBER: 603 East South Temple			
CITY OR TOWN: Salt Lake City	STATE: Utah	CODE: 49	

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7. DESCRIPTION

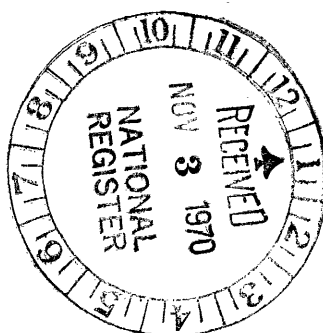
CONDITION	(Check One)					
	Excellent <input type="checkbox"/>	Good <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Fair <input type="checkbox"/>	Deteriorated <input type="checkbox"/>	Ruins <input type="checkbox"/>	Unexposed <input type="checkbox"/>
INTEGRITY	(Check One)			(Check One)		
	Altered <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Unaltered <input type="checkbox"/>	Moved <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Original Site <input type="checkbox"/>		

DESCRIBE THE PRESENT AND ORIGINAL (if known) PHYSICAL APPEARANCE

The cabin was built of sawed cottonwood logs in 1845 by Miles Goodyear. Its dimensions are 14'4" x 17'9". The original floors were dirt. As the foundation logs sat on the ground, they rotted away and have been replaced. In addition, some of the lumber in the door and windows was sawed after 1847.

Originally located on the Weber River two miles above the Ogden River confluence, the cabin was flooded in 1850 and moved one-quarter mile south-east to higher ground. In 1855 Amos Pace Stone moved the cabin to a location near Tabernacle Square in Ogden. Five years later he relocated it near Mill Creek and Washington Square. In 1866 it was moved to 1342 Washington Avenue. Minerva Shaw Stone, a daughter, bought the cabin in 1896 and moved it to the rear of her home at 1265 Washington Avenue, where it remained until she willed it to Ogden City as a relic hall in 1926. At this time the city relocated it at the corner of 9th Street and Washington Avenue. Two years later, it was returned to Mrs. Shaw who then gave it to the Daughters of the Utah Pioneers. The cabin now sits in Tabernacle Square near its 1855 location. It now sits on a slab of cement beneath a protective canopy. A wire fence has been placed around it. The present dirt roof is not original.

The cabin needs minor repairs.



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8. SIGNIFICANCE

PERIOD (Check One or More as Appropriate)

Pre-Columbian ☐16th Century ☐18th Century ☐20th Century ☐15th Century ☐17th Century ☐19th Century ☒

SPECIFIC DATE(S) (If Applicable and Known)

AREAS OF SIGNIFICANCE (Check One or More as Appropriate)

Aboriginal ☐Education ☐Political ☐Urban Planning ☐Prehistoric ☐Engineering ☐

Religion/Phi-

Other (Specify) ☒Historic ☐Industry ☐losophy ☐Mountain MenAgriculture ☐Invention ☐Science ☐Art ☐Landscape ☐Sculpture ☐Commerce ☐Architecture ☐

Social/Human-

Communications ☐Literature ☐itarian ☐Conservation ☐Military ☐Theater ☐Music ☐Transportation ☐

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE (Include Personages, Dates, Events, Etc.)

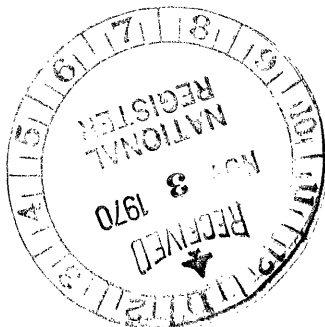
The earliest permanent white settlers in Utah were trappers and traders. In the Miles Goodyear cabin the story is told of the transition from trapper and trader to settler. Goodyear came west as a venturesome young man with the Whitman-Spaulling Expedition of 1836. At Fort Hall on the Snake River in present-day Idaho, he left the party to become a "mountain man." In time he married a daughter of the Ute Chief, Pe-teet-neet, and located his stockade and cabin on the Weber River. This post became a stop-over and replenishment station for California-bound emigrants. Goodyear called his place Fort Buenaventura.

Goodyear combined his trapping ventures with trading as far afield as California. On July 10, 1847, he met the advance party of the first Mormon emigrants at Bear Lake bottoms, where he talked with O. P. Rockwell, George A. Smith, Erastus Snow, and Norton Jacobs.

The new emigrants soon became interested in Goodyear's holdings. James Brown saw them in August, 1847. After returning from California with Mormon Battalion payrolls, Brown pursued this interest and was permitted to negotiate with Goodyear who sold his properties for \$1,950.00. The original claim included about 225 square miles, nearby all of present Weber County.

Brown moved in by March, 1848. The site became known as Brown's Fort, Brown's Settlement and, subsequently, Brownsville. The name Ogden was bestowed officially in 1851.

Only the cabin remains of Goodyear's Fort Buenaventura. But through it, this important transitional part of American and Utah history can be told.



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9. MAJOR BIBLIOGRAPHICAL REFERENCES

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 Creer, Leland Hargrave, The Founding of an Empire, the Exploration and Colonization of Utah, 1776-1856. Salt Lake City: Bookcraft, 1949, pp. 82-89.
 Ruth, Kent, Great Day in the West, Forts, Posts and Rendezvous Beyond the Mississippi. Norman: University of Oklahoma Press, 1963, pp. 250-251.
 Morgan, Dale, "Miles Goodyear and the Founding of Ogden," Utah Historical Quarterly, XXI (July-October, 1953), pp. 195-218 and 307-329.
 Kelley, Charles and Howe, Maurice L., Miles Goodyear, First Citizen of Utah, Salt Lake City: Western Printing Company 1937, pp. 133-140.

10. GEOGRAPHICAL DATA

LATITUDE AND LONGITUDE COORDINATES DEFINING A RECTANGLE LOCATING THE PROPERTY				OR	LATITUDE AND LONGITUDE COORDINATES DEFINING THE CENTER POINT OF A PROPERTY OF LESS THAN ONE ACRE				
CORNER	LATITUDE				LONGITUDE				
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NE	0		"	0		"	11	58	18
SE	0		"	0		"			
SW	0		"	0		"			

LIST ALL STATES AND COUNTIES FOR PROPERTIES OVERLAPPING STATE OR COUNTY BOUNDARIES

STATE:	CODE	COUNTY:	CODE

11. FORM PREPARED BY

NAME AND TITLE: Melvin T. Smith

ORGANIZATION: Utah State Historical Society DATE: October 2, 1970

STREET AND NUMBER: 603 East South Temple

CITY OR TOWN: Salt Lake City STATE: Utah CODE: 49

12. STATE LIAISON OFFICER CERTIFICATION

As the designated State Liaison Officer for the National Historic Preservation Act of 1966 (Public Law 89-665), I hereby nominate this property for inclusion in the National Register and certify that it has been evaluated according to the criteria and procedures set forth by the National Park Service. The recommended level of significance of this nomination is:

National ☒ State ☐ Local ☒

Name: Milton L. Weilenmann
 Title: Utah State Liaison Officer

Date: October 2, 1970

NATIONAL REGISTER VERIFICATION

I hereby certify that this property is included in the National Register.

Ernest A. Connolly
 Chief, Office of Archeology and Historic Preservation

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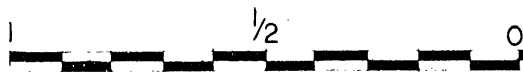
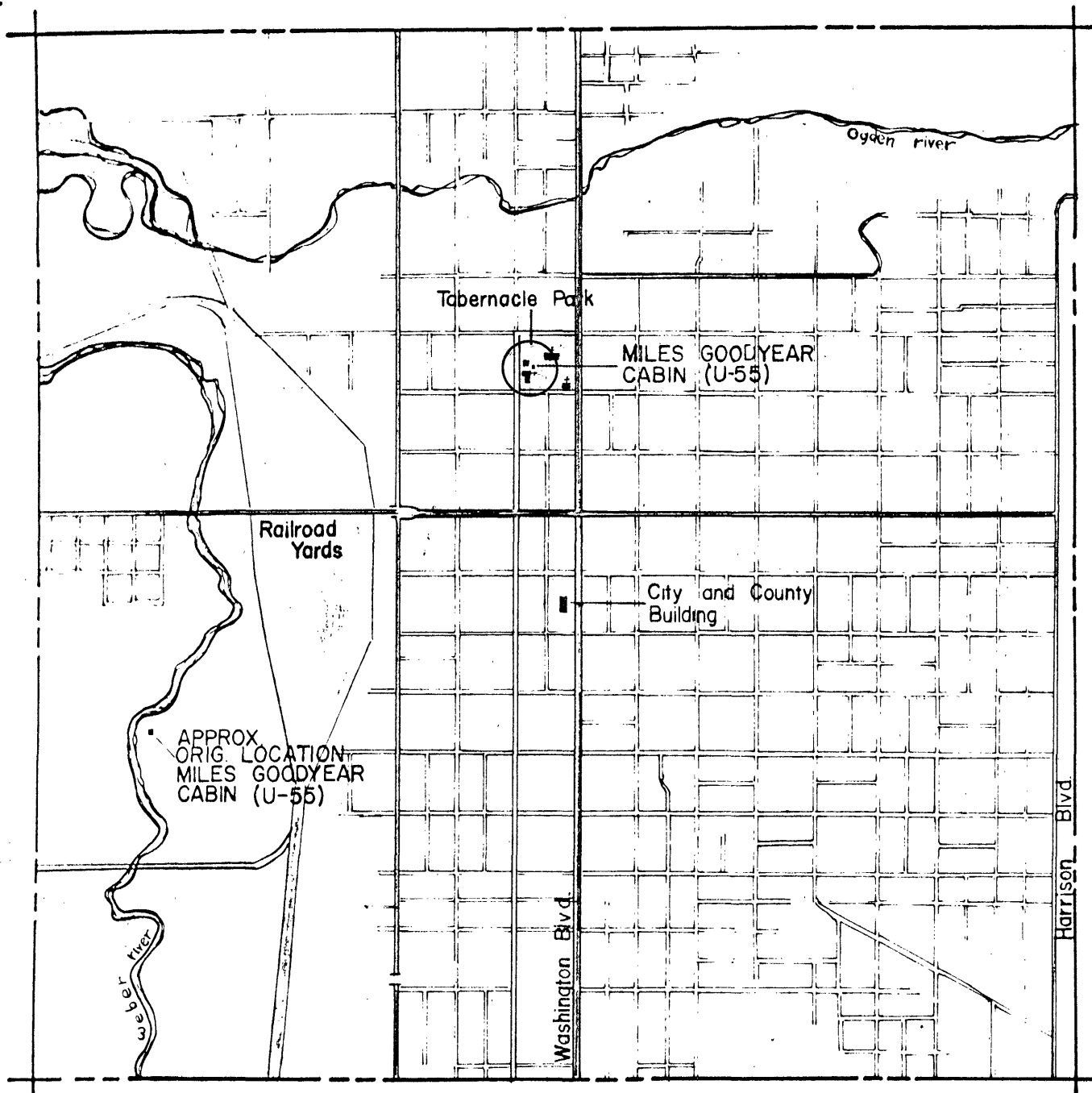
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ATTEST:

William Schmitz
 Keeper of the National Register

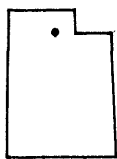
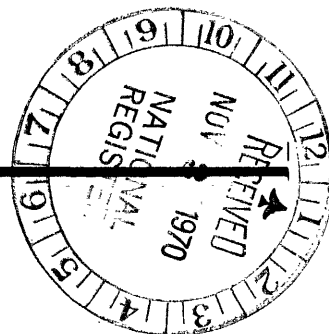
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Scale in Miles

LOCATION MAP



MILES GOODYEAR CABIN
TABERNACLE PARK
OGDEN, UTAH

LATITUDE : 41° - 13' - 41"
 LONGITUDE : 111° - 38' - 18"
 HABS DIVG MAP

DATE : MAY 1970

GRANT AVENUE

PARKING

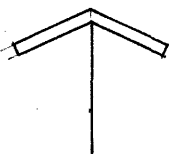
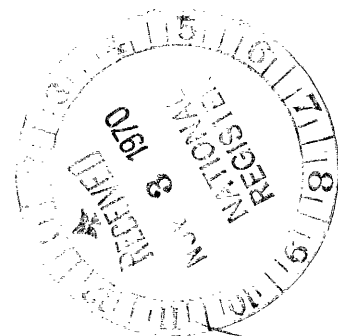
DAUGHTERS OF
UTAH PIONEERS
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BOUNDARY LINE

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